

## ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

A recovery circuit and a method for employing the same are provided. The recovery circuit has a current driver and,  
5 preferably two pass-gates, a first pass-gate connected in series to the current driver and a second pass-gate connected to a ground. The recovery circuit also has a recovery assembly or element and one or more contacts operatively connecting the  
10 recovery circuit to a wearout sensitive circuit or circuit element.